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August 16, 1983

Mr. Harold Roberts  
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RE: Rule M-7, Required Inspection  
for the Interim Reclamation  
Needs and Resuspension at the  
Straight Creek Mine  
ACT/017/018  
Garfield County, Utah

Dear Mr. Roberts:

The guidance and conversation offered by you and your staff provided me with a very adequate understanding of the Straight Creek mining operation during the Division's June 28, 1983 inspection of the minesite. According to the understanding reached on-site, the only problems discovered were minor; an unlocked portal, and the lack of site location and facilities maps in our files.

Your letter of July 27, 1983 received today (August 15, 1983), addresses the outstanding issues, however, certain questions remain, as the major thrust of my concern was somehow overlooked. No specific data are given for the gate being secured. Although the submitted maps serve to provide sufficient location of the mine, they do not delineate the actual extent of the disturbance and/or include the structures on-site as I requested.

After evaluation of the problem, the following advice is offered:

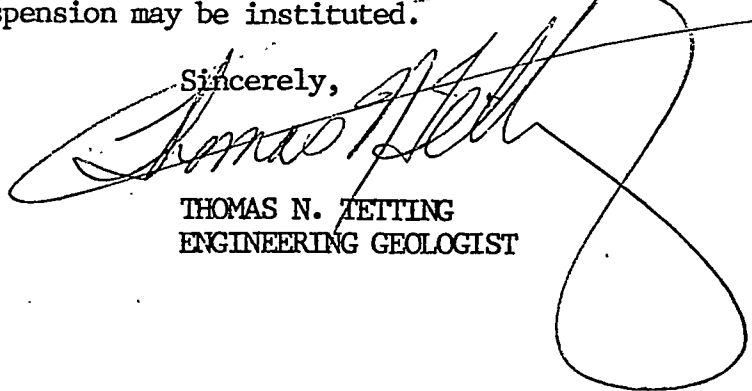
1. A duplicate map is enclosed which you may not already have in your files. You may be able to use it to provide the specific site details as requested. Currently, actual conditions do not agree with its design and it would be to your advantage to document the present minesite status.

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2. It ought to be assumed that by the time you resubmit the site facilities map (this summer) you will have actually secured the portal gate.

When the Division receives notice of the completion of these issues, an additional two year period of suspension may be instituted.

Sincerely,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in dark ink, likely belonging to Thomas N. Tetting, is written over the typed name and extends across the right side of the page.

THOMAS N. TETTING  
ENGINEERING GEOLOGIST

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Enclosure

cc: J. Smith, DOGM